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AN ACT OF TREACHERY

General Maceo's Death No Longer Doubted.

LED INTO A SPANISH DEATH TRAP.

He Trusted to the Honor of His Spanish Physician and Was Foully Murdered.

HE WAS UNDER A FLAG OF TRUCE

Called to a Conference With the Acting Captain General of Cuba, He Was Surrounded by Spanish Soldiers and Shot Down Without a Moment's Warning. The Treacherous Act Has Aroused Indignation in All Parts of the United States and Hundreds of Recruits Will Soon Start for Cuba to Battle for the Insurgents—Ohio Boys Right in Line. Spanish Officials Deny the Treachery Part of Maceo's Death—Nothing Direct From Cuba Except Censorship Dispatches—Latest Information on the Situation.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 14.—Justo Carrillo, a well known Cuban of this city, brother of the Cuban General Carrillo, has received the following letter from a trustworthy correspondent in Havana, confirming the reports of the death of Antonio Maceo, and showing that he was killed by treachery. The dispatch was dated at Havana, Dec. 9:

"Our brave general, Antonio Maceo, and the greater part of his staff have been murdered by the Spaniards, the Spanish Major Cirujeda acting the part of assassin, and Dr. Maximo Zertucha as an assistant in the horrible drama



MAJOR GENERAL ANTONIO MACEO.

"Convinced that notwithstanding his enormous army he could do nothing against our gallant leader, who had so repeatedly defeated the Spanish generals in Rio del Pinar, Weyler conceived the idea of appeasing his beastly instinct by cold-blooded murder, and making the best of the secret relations between Dr. Zertucha and the Marquis of Ahumada, he planned with the latter his hellish scheme."

"Weyler took the field, and in absence Alumada proposed through Zertucha a conference with Maceo, to take place at a certain point in the province of Havana, with the view of arranging plans for the cessation of hostilities. The basis was to be Cuba's independence and a monetary indemnity to Spain, together with certain advantages that should be agreed upon for Spanish conference and Spanish capital invested there."

"To carry out the plan the agreement was that orders should be given to the detachments of troops stationed on the trocha in the section between Mariel and Guanajay to allow Maceo with his staff to pass the military line unmolested."

"Time was required to mature these arrangements, and to give them all the appearance of truth. Ahumada feigned that before acting he must make them known to Weyler for his previous approval."

"This explains the sudden arrival of Weyler in Havana and his prompt return to Pinar del Rio."

"The conditions and place of the meeting having been agreed on, Maceo crossed the trocha over the road to Guanajay, without being molested by the forts, but as soon as he arrived at the place decided upon he and his party were greeted with a tremendous volley from the troops under Major Cirujeda, who lay conveniently in ambush. Most of the officers of his staff fell with General Maceo. Zertucha is alive, because he was aware of the scheme and remained in the rear."

"The Spaniards know where the bodies are, but are bent on feigning ignorance to blot out the vestiges of the crime. Havana and all Spain are rejoicing because in their stupidity they hope that the war may end with the death of this leader. Far from it. The spirit of the Cubans has grown more ardent, and today they are resolved to make every sacrifice before surrendering their arms to their relentless tyrants. In this very province of Havana, in which our army is least numerous, and has the least means of defense, the Cubans are operating with greater and greater activity, and not a day passes that we do not hear in this city the firing on Guanabacoa."

News Confirmed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Cuban junta have heard, by way of Jackson-

ville, Fla., from their agents sent to investigate the facts regarding Maceo's reported death. The dispatch to the junta says that Maceo was assassinated through the instrumentality of Dr. Zertucha, who led Maceo and his staff across the trocha, where they were met by Ahumada, and Maceo and his entire staff were assassinated with machetes.

IT HAS BEEN DONE BEFORE.

Maceo Not the First Leader Murdered by the Spaniards.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Senor de Lome, the Spanish minister, bitterly denounces the statements made by General Carrillo in the letter given in the Jacksonville dispatches. He said the reports that Maceo was assassinated or killed by any treachery were false and absurd, and to give credence to them would be an insult to judgment. Beyond this the minister declined to discuss the story.

The circumstantial details were significant to the Cuban delegation, and for the first time Senor Quesada, the chargé d'affaires of the junta, admitted the probability that Maceo was dead. He said the cause of liberty would not be hurt by Maceo's death, for his loss would be offset by a reaction that would probably follow here and in Cuba in the insurgents' interest, as a result of the alleged assassination.

Senor Quesada said that two weeks ago he received information that the Spanish minister had informed a friend that the Spanish were negotiating with Maceo, but that he did not then give it the significance the Jacksonville dispatches indicates. Zertucha, the personal physician of Maceo, he regarded as the prime mover in the alleged plot, and he pointed out that Zertucha had been suspected of personing General Gomez several years ago. Mr. Quesada said:

"I am surprised that Maceo should fall into such a plot, if the story is true. The action is in line with former peculiar phases of the Spanish campaign. Augusto Arango, during the last 10 years' war on the island, was induced on a plea to talk over the disposition of troops in his section to enter the city of Puerto Principe. Though carrying a flag of truce, he was shot down almost as soon as he had entered the Spanish lines. A similar incident occurred in the beginning of this revolution. Major General Flor Crombet, an associate of Maceo's, in command of Santiago de Cuba, was lured into a Spanish ambuscade on a pretense of a conference over prisoners after protection had been guaranteed by the Spaniards."

A BARBAROUS WARFARE.

The Death of Maceo Excites Indignation in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The dispatches telling of the assassination of General Antonio Maceo by the Spanish soldiers have aroused great indignation among the friends of Cuba and the lovers of fair play in this city. Out of several score of prominent New Yorkers interviewed on the subject all express a deep sense of outrage, almost invariably ended by the statement that the United States government had now been given the opportunity to honorably interfere and put an end to the Spanish atrocities.

Congressman Daniel E. Sickles voiced the general sentiment when he said:

"If the story of the murder of General Maceo is true, it warrants prompt action on the part of the United States to put an end to this barbarous kind of warfare. It is in line with other acts of the Spanish, and, I think, calls for immediate action. It would be stopped in any European country in 30 days. The Spanish are simply engaged in a war of extermination, and no European government would stand by and see prisoners of war shot and outraged after outrage perpetrated without making a forcible objection."

SPANISH SIDE OF IT.

Cubans Deny That Dr. Zertucha Betrayed General Maceo.

HAVANA, Dec. 14.—It is announced in official circles here that the accounts received by the Cuban junta detailing the manner in which Maceo met his death are absolutely untrue. The statement that Maceo was assassinated through the instrumentality of Dr. Zertucha, who, it is claimed, led Maceo and his staff across the trocha, where they were met by Ahumada and the Spanish soldiers and murdered, after being invited to a conference, is officially and emphatically denied.

Maceo expected the insurgent Brigadier General Sanchez to concentrate his forces in Havana province in readiness for Maceo when he should pass the trocha. It happens, however, that in passing the Spanish column, commanded by Major Cirujeda, Maceo mistook the force of guerrillas under Peral for Sanchez's vanguard and found himself among them before he discovered his mistake. At the first volley from the Spanish Maceo fell wounded. The insurgents, taken by surprise, commenced a general fire as they retreated and abandoned Maceo in a dying condition.

Colonel Feijoo has had an engagement at Campo Florida, near Havana, with the concentrated forces of the insurgents which were with Maceo at the time he was killed, and which are now following the leaders Aguirre, Castillo, Aranguren, Cardenas, Gallo and Lozo, and which number 1,300 horsemen. Colonel Feijoo again met these forces at Tampa Quarto, where he inflicted a loss of 18 killed, their wounded being carried off. The Spanish had 19 wounded.

Private advices from Santiago de Los Vegas in this province state that the prominent insurgent leader, Perico Del Gado, has been seriously wounded and has remained hidden in the woods since

the last engagement with General Figueira. These advices add that it is expected that several bodies of insurgents will soon surrender to the Spanish authorities.

The steamer San Ignacio has arrived here, having on board 1,240 soldiers to reinforce the Spanish forces in Cuba.

GENERAL WEYLER TALKS.

He Says That He Expects to End the Rebellion in Three Weeks.

MADRID, Dec. 14.—In an interview with a correspondent for a Madrid newspaper, Captain General Weyler states that he has returned to Havana in order to disperse the rebels who are flocking into the province of Havana. He says he will then return to Pinar del Rio, which he hopes to effect the pacification of in three weeks.

Captain General Weyler said to this correspondent that Maceo's death was a terrible blow to the insurgents, that they had no other general equal to him in prestige that many insurgents were likely to abandon their arms in consequence of his death.

MACEO'S SUCCESSOR.

General Calixto Garcia Will Now Assume Command of the Insurgent Forces.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Members of the New York junta say that the successor of Maceo as lieutenant general of the Cuban forces will be General Calixto Garcia, and that the immediate command of Maceo's former troops in Pinar del Rio will devolve upon General Rins Rivera.

General Garcia is a brilliant soldier, with a record of the 10 years' war second only to that of Maceo. In 1870 he headed another revolutionary movement, was captured and deported to Spain. He attempted suicide at that time and now has a hole in his forehead made by the bullet. He is engaged in reducing the minor towns in the east, still held by the Spanish.

General Rivera is a native of Porto Rico. He fought under Maceo in the 10 years' war. He is a bold and gallant leader, and can be depended on to hold the advantage the patriots now possess in Pinar del Rio.

RECRUTS FOR CUBA.

A Company of Fighters Is Now Being Raised at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 14.—In a few more days there will be a detachment of men leave this city for Cuba, for they will fight in the Cuban army. They have been recruited by an agent of the Cuban cause, and expect to leave very shortly for the island. Don Carlos de Quesada, the agent of the Cuban armies, is apparently in earnest. He has deposited \$400 with Colonel Schwartz of the Grand Central hotel, as a guarantee that his promises as to transportation and provisions will be carried out to the letter.

Quesada has made a specialty of enlisting noncommissioned officers of the regular army, whose terms of enlistment have expired, while noncommissioned officers from the fort and other militia regiments are greatly in demand. Several of the students of the Ohio State university have promised to go, and several young medics have also enlisted, and will seize the opportunity to fight for a struggling republic and improve their knowledge of medicine at the same time.

It is understood that a detachment of 10 men will leave next Wednesday, under the command of Charles F. Hughey and Lieutenant W. F. Gable. They will go first to Cincinnati, and thence to New Orleans. Then they will make the best of their way to the seat of war in Cuba. Other enlistments are being made constantly and it is expected that several more companies will be formed in this city. The embryo surgeons have been promised \$50 a month for their services, which will be of great benefit to them if they survive.

THIRTY MEN ENLISTED.

A Company of Cuban Sympathizers Leaving Toledo to Fight.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 14.—A representative of a Cuban recruiting station near Tampa, Fla., after four weeks' time spent here, has succeeded in forming a company of 30 men for service in the Cuban-Spanish campaign.

The sergeant of a local company of the Sixteenth regiment is at the head of the movement, although officers here profess ignorance of the matter. These same officers admit, however, that the sentiment in favor of the insurgents is very strong here, and Lieutenant Colonel Lemmon states that he could raise a regiment of 600 men in 24 hours.

AID FROM ARKANSAS.

Some of Her Brave Sons are Ready to Battle for the Cause of Liberty.

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Dec. 14.—A company of 20 young men in this city have organized and within a few days will start for Cuba to join the rebel army.

Several days ago a Cuban, said to be an agent of the New York junta, had secret conferences with some of the foremost young men in this vicinity known to be in sympathy with the Cuban patriots and since the work of enlisting recruits and securing material aid for the Cubans has been carried on quietly until now the ambition of many has been fired to take a hand in the struggle for Cuban independence.

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tending the forwarding of recruits for the insurgent army. Sixty recruits passed through here Saturday night on the Illinois Central. They were gathered in from Chicago and Wisconsin points. During the night 25 more arrived from Streator, Spring Valley and other points and were furnished transportation to New Orleans. It is probable that a number will be enlisted at this point.

Raising Troops in Indiana.

KOKOMO, Ind., Dec. 14.—A stranger, declining to give his name, opened headquarters here yesterday to recruit volunteers for the cause of Cuba. He has succeeded in interesting a number of people, and hopes to muster a full company in this vicinity to fight the Spaniards.

Kansas Men in Line.

LARNED, Kan., Dec. 14.—A man representing himself to be a recruiting officer for the Cuban army and to hail from St. Louis has enlisted 15 or 20 young men in this town and county, under promise of good pay and free transportation to New Orleans.

TO SAVE THE LAURADA.

One Consul at Grao Will Warn the Former Filibustering Vessel at Sea.

VALENCIA, Spain, Dec. 14.—Mr. Theodore Mertens, the United States consul at Grao, the seaport of Valencia, has informed a journalist of his intention to proceed to sea and meet the United States steamer Laurada, formerly engaged in filibustering expeditions to Cuba, whose reported intention to come to Valencia has caused apprehension of trouble.

Mr. Mertens says that if the captain of the Laurada rejects his advice not to proceed to Valencia, he will order him in the name of the United States government not to anchor in the port of Grao.

The maritime commander of Valencia has undertaken to furnish the United States consul with everything needful for the Laurada to continue on the voyage in the event of private persons declining assistance.

Bravest Owners Sue For Damages.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 14.—W. A. Bisbee, owner of the tug Dauntless, has entered suit against Captain W. F. Kilgore of the revenue cutter Boutwell, and C. R. Bisbee, collector of customs, for \$20,000 each in the state circuit court for the unlawful detention of the boat last Thursday night, when it was endeavoring to leave port to save the schooner Nathaniel F. Cobb, reported ashore at Now Smyrna.

MURDERED AT MIDNIGHT.

Eighteen Helpless Inmates of a Hospital Were Butchered.

BARTABANO, Cuba, Dec. 14.—Private advices received from Matanzas report the surprise and capture of another rebel hospital by Spanish forces of Galicia and Pavia at a point midway between the towns of Mordazo and Cascajal, Santa Clara province, the raid taking place at midnight.

Sixteen helpless inmates and two surgeons, one of these Dr. Portuondo, were put to the machete.

The hospital buildings were burned by the raiders.

The official report omits the names of the officers commanding, but it is understood they have been congratulated by Captain General Weyler and recommended to the minister of war for promotion or decoration for "bravery."

ENGLAND DEMANDS REPARATION.

Spain Must Pay For Imprisoning Two English Merchants.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The foreign office has sent a demand for compensation to the Spanish government for the imprisonment of Messrs. Thomas and K. Beatty, tobacco and sugar merchants in Cuba. Mr. Thomas Beatty has large plantations in Cuba, has long been a resident there, and, in point of fact, is inclined toward Cuban independence from the regime of the imported Spaniards.

There may be substantial basis for the charge against him, that he has used strong language against the methods of General Weyler, but the foreign office and Messrs. Beatty's friends scout the notion that General Weyler has any proof of the Beatty's acting as secret agents for the insurgents.

SPANISH CABINET COUNCIL.

They May Feel the Pulse of Foreign Powers on the Cuban Situation.

MADRID, Dec. 14.—A meeting of the cabinet council has been fixed for Tuesday, this being the first meeting of the cabinet since President Cleveland's message was transmitted to congress, on account of the illness of Senor Canovas, the premier.

According to some of the Spanish newspapers the question will be raised at this council of the expediency of a confidential note to the ambassadors of the powers here in Madrid in regard to President Cleveland's message. The cabinet ministers themselves, however, maintain an absolute reserve on this subject, and therefore any newspaper statements on the subject are premature.

Reports are current here that the question has been raised of calling attention to the prejudice caused to the interests of Spain by defects in American legislation, in that, despite the good faith of the Washington government, 64 filibustering expeditions organized in the United States have landed in Cuba, without whose aid the Cubans could not have continued the war.

Notwithstanding the currency of

these reports, it can be satisfactorily stated that nothing has yet been decided, and it is believed in some quarters that the cabinet ministers will postpone taking any resolutions on the subject of President Cleveland's message.

CRISIS IN TURKEY.

The Sultan Gave Forty-Eight Hours to Recall His Special Envoy to Crete.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 14.—The ambassadors of the powers have sent a joint note to the porte demanding the recall within 48 hours of the porte's special envoy to Crete, Saad-Ed-Bin Pasha, who is accused of thwarting the reforms projected there.

These reforms included the nomination of the Christian governor of Crete, which was accorded, economic autonomy with the payment of a tribute to the sultan, the reorganization of the gendarmerie by European officers and the independence of the judiciary of Crete by the creation of a high court at Canea.

Burglars Driven Away by a Woman.

WOOSTER, O., Dec. 14.—

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TELEPHONE 46.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1896.

INDICATIONS—Fair and cooler weather; threatening with local showers in the evening or night; cooler; fresh northeasterly winds.

SUNDAY'S RALLY.

Over One Hundred Present and Enjoy the Song Service and Addresses.

Sunday's rally at the Y. M. C. A. was the first in the new rooms. Over 100 were present, President Cox in charge of the services.

Miss Lida Berry kindly presided at the piano, and the song service was a very enjoyable one. A feature of the music was a solo by Dr. Smoot.

Short addresses were made by President Cox and Messrs. W. T. Berry, J. M. Lane, Dinnitt Hutchins, J. B. Orr and Mr. Berry, the central thought being gratitude to God for his many blessings. Young men were urged to make the highest and best use of the privileges and opportunities afforded in the new rooms.

To-night at 7:30, Drs. Owens and Smoot will meet, at the new rooms, all young men desiring to enter gymnasium work, and will prescribe the exercise needed. It is hoped to organize the first class by the last of this week.

GOV. BRADLEY has appointed Worth Dickerson, Esq., as one of his eleven delegates from Kentucky to Governor Mitchell's "coast defense" convention at Tampa, Fla., January 20. This is Mr. Dickerson's first piece of pie as a reward for aiding in the election of McKinley. It's about Worth's size, says the Carrollton Democrat.

MR. HANNA is degenerating into the national turkeycock, remarks an exchange. Since Mr. McKinley was elected he has been strutting before the country in a way to show that whatever strong qualities he may possess there is a big streak of vanity in his makeup. The Hancock (Ind.) Democrat considers his recent address at Cleveland about being the keeper of Mr. McKinley's honor, and about his struggles to preserve that honor unspotted before all the world, "a nauseating bit of maudlin bragging." If Mr. McKinley committed his honor to Mr. Hanna's custody he was taking a risk that could be assumed only in view of the great financial services rendered to him by Hanna. Honor is a sacred thing, and the parading of it by such a man as Hanna is decidedly repugnant to all sensitiveness.

For a full line of X-mas presents, fancy and toilet articles, also fine candies, call at Ray's drug store.

A man may dress as well as his own good judgment and the assistance of an artistic tailor may elect. He may take his "tubs" but if his digestive organs are out of order, he will have an unwholesome appearance. His complexion and the white of his eyes will have a yellowish appearance. His tongue will be coated, appetite poor, his teeth rusty, his breath abominable. He is one big, unmistakable sign of constipation. The quickest, surest, easiest way to cure this trouble is to take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are made of refined, concentrated vegetable extracts. Nothing in the least harmful enters into their composition. They hunt down all impurities, and "make them move on." They are the product of many years' study and practice. Dr. Pierce cannot afford to put forth a worthless article.

Address with 21 cents in one cent stamps, to cover cost of mailing only, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and get a free copy of the "Medical Adviser."

A Maysvillian To Be Honored in Greenup. Greenup, Ky., Dec. 10.—Mr. W. T. Cole, of this place, is a lawyer by profession, and is the only Democrat practicing at the Greenup bar, consequently he has a "lead-pipe cinch" on the Democratic nomination for County Attorney next year, when the county officers are to be elected, as he is the only Democrat in the county eligible to the position. Mr. Cole is a young man, the second son of Judge A. E. Cole, of Maysville, and settled here to practice his profession about two years ago. While his nomination is a sure thing, his election is not so certain.

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired-out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centers in the stomach, gently stimulates the liver and kidneys and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c. or \$1 per bottle at J. J. Wood's drug store.

DOESN'T KNOW IT ALL.

Oh No, Not by a Jug Full—Governor Bradley Given a Few Pointers on Chosing U. S. Senators.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 10.—Several of the leading Kentucky politicians here are disposed to doubt the accuracy of the latest story from Louisville of a new turn in the tactics of Governor Bradley. Those seen to-day were still of the opinion that an extra session of the Legislature is to be called. They could not think otherwise, and if Gov. Bradley has decided otherwise, as is alleged, they will be greatly surprised. Representative Hunter, who is said to have sufficient Republican votes pledged to him to secure the Republican caucus nomination, has been expecting an extra session, and it is said to-day that he is doubtful about the story sent from Louisville. Kentuckians here assert that sentiment is too strong for an extra session to be thwarted.

The reported decision of Gov. Bradley means that there will be a vacancy in the Kentucky Senatorship until a new Legislature has been elected next fall, and has chosen a successor to Senator Blackburn.

Senator Chandler said that it was the height of folly for the Governor of Kentucky not to call an extra session. He said that this Congress could not seat an appointee, and, of course, the next Congress could not; that it was against every principle the Senate has set. Moreover, he said, there was no question about the admission of a Senator if elected at an extra session of the Legislature.

Senator Thurston said that Governor Bradley ought to know that an appointee would not be given a seat in the Senate, and that it would be disastrous for the Governor not to call an extra session of the Kentucky Legislature.

Senator Allen said that the Senate had decided the point raised by Governor Bradley, and that no appointee would be seated. As to the seating of a man chosen at an extra session, the Senator said that he could see no reason against it.

Senator Mitchell, Chairman of the Committee of Elections, said: "I would vote against seating an appointee of Governor Bradley, in spite of the importance which attaches to the Senatorship from Kentucky. The Senate has convened and had a chance to elect a Senator, and yet had failed to elect one, the Governor had no power to appoint."

Senator Shoup, of Idaho, said: "It is all-important to have a Republican Senator from Kentucky, and the only chance to have one is through election. It cannot be done by appointment."

For holiday goodie go to H. Linse. Purest and finest of candies to select from; nuts, fruits of all kinds; finest fruit cakes and breads in town; ice cream soda in season. Ask for a picture card.

GOLD watches greatly reduced. One hundred dollar watch, reduced to \$80; \$75, reduced to \$60; \$50 watch, now \$35; \$30 watch, now \$20; \$20 watch, now \$16; \$12 silver, ladies' watch, now \$8; \$10, now \$7; \$6 watch, now \$4, at P. J. Murphy, the jeweler's. All warranted to keep good time.

THE CALENDARS displayed by J. T. Kackley & Co., are certainly the prettiest and most unique ever gotten up. The firm sold over \$10 worth of these calendars one day, and it takes a good many of them to amount to \$10, the price is so small. Get one; it makes a very useful and pretty ornament.

AT NEWPORT Friday Mrs. George Creighton was awarded \$17,500 damages for personal injuries she sustained in risking her life to save a little child from its death under the wheels of an L. and N. locomotive. The damages are probably the heaviest ever awarded by any jury in this State for personal injuries, certainly the heaviest ever recorded in Campbell County. She was so badly injured she will be a cripple for life. She sued for \$25,000. The L. and N. will appeal the case.

THE OBSERVATION CARS which have been run over the Chesapeake and Ohio Road attached to the F. F. V. trains have been taken off and will be put through the shops and thoroughly overhauled. They will be put on the run again about the first of February. They are taken off the run about this time every year, when an extra express car is put on to accommodate the holiday business. The observation cars have been run over the C. and O. for about three years and have proved a good investment, as they are greatly appreciated by the patrons of this road.

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PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Tina Dobyns, of Mexico, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. John Wilson.

—Miss Ethelene Wall is the guest of the Misses Montmollin at Ashland.

—Misses Jessie and Bessie Allison are the guests of Miss Shockley Winter, of Augusta.

—Rev. J. D. Redd and family and Miss Anna Leach, of Sardis, were in Maysville Saturday shopping.

—Miss Katie Bierley has gone for an extended visit to her uncle, William Roth, at Dayton, O.

—Mr. Thomas Kelley of Washington, D. C., left for home to-day after spending a week here with relatives.

—Miss Julia Sweeney, of Augusta, is visiting the family of her uncle Mr. M. J. Sweeney of East Fourth street.

—Dr. Harry S. Wood came in from Winchester Saturday evening and is spending a few days with relatives.

—Mr. Walter B. Phister, of Chicago, who was here last week to attend the burial of his brother-in-law Rev. M. C. Blaine and daughter, returned home Saturday.

—Rev. Father Ennis, rector of St. Patrick's Church, left Sunday evening for Mt. Adams, Cincinnati, where he will spend the week in retreat with the Passionist Fathers of that place.

—Paris Kentuckian: "The wife of Hon. LaRue Thomas, of Maysville, late candidate for Congress, stopped off here Saturday night as guest of her sister, Mrs. Jones, wife of Road Master Percy Jones, L. and N. Prof. Gus Rogers, Chief of Deaf and Dumb Institute, Danville, also married a sister of Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Thomas. They are most intelligent and of an English family. Mrs. Sam Rogers and babe and Miss Birdie Rogers came down on train from Lexington with Mrs. Thomas. The little two months old Gussie was so quiet it was remarked, 'She never has cried.'"

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The *fa-simile* signature of *Castoria* is on every wrapper.

R. D. DAVIS, of Ashland, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Circuit Judge in the Twentieth judicial district, composed of the counties of Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Lawrence and Magoffin. Mr. Davis is the President of the Second National Bank, at Ashland. He served his native county (Carter) as County Judge before his removal to Boyd. On the Democratic side, Judge Jarred Kinner, the incumbent, is a candidate for re-election.

For Commonwealth's Attorney in the same district, Hon. Frank Prater, of Grayson, is seeking the Republican nomination. He is the present County Attorney of Carter county. Hon. M. M. Redwine, of Elliott, will stand for re-election on the Democratic ticket.

Feed the Nerves

Upon pure, rich blood and you need no fear nervous prostration. Nerves are weak when they are improperly and insufficiently nourished. Pure blood is their proper food, and pure blood comes by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is thus the greatest and best nerve tonic. It also builds up the whole system.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartie easy to take, easy to operate.

River News.

The coal fleet was passing last night. Virgina's down this evening and Shirley to-night. Up: Stanley to-night.

IT'S A PLEASURE.

To choose from such a stock of Capes and Jackets. Have you seen our \$10 group? Beaver Cloth Capes, liberally braided, Black Cheviot Capes, tailored, trimmed with cloth and stitching, small buttons, inlaid velvet collar. Jackets of imported Boucle Cheviot; close snugly to the neck; high rolling collar; half lined with satin Rhadaine. And this is only a hint of our \$10 garments.

LINENS.

Brocaded, finished, woven to linen rightness. Beside the regular lines there are some Towel lots at 25c. for this week. Huck Towels, Huck Towels with damp borders, fringed Towels, hemmed Towels. All big and generous. All unusual values.

BLANKETS.

Our Blanket labels tell the truth and the truth is good enough to make a good label. We state sizes in inches and see to it the statements are exact. Handsome white Blankets, 72x84 inches, filling and gross threads pure wool, weight 6½ lbs., \$5. Pretty grey Blankets, colored borders, 72x84 inches, \$2.89. Scarlet Blankets of pure wool, good color and fast, 72x84 inches, weight 6 lbs., \$5.

UPHOLSTERY NEWS.

Wonder how many years blue and white ticking has done service. A new bed ticking! The century came and almost went before it was conjured. But now we have it in all its newness, and it is going to do Christmas service for many an inexpensive gift. Sofa pillows, laundry bags or any way you want to use it. The fabric's here for you at 25c. a yard.

CHEAP DRESS STUFFS.

Cheap in price only. A dozen or more weaves and colors; 50c. a yard—double width—so seven yard is ample; \$3.50 for material for a stylish gown. At that price you needn't deny yourself a new dress.

D. HUNT & SON.

The Best Dollar.

LASTS LONGEST, AND WE GIVE THE BEST DOLLAR'S WORTH

OUR CHINA AND QUEENSWARE

Are guaranteed to be precisely as represented; the dollars paid for it last because the goods last. We are making special drives on Chamber Sets this week. Call in.

C. D. RUSSELL & CO., "The Chinamen."

LOVEL'S

Holiday Specials!

WHEN other people were talking politics and prophesying that the country was going to ruin I was quietly taking in the bargains that were being offered, and as a consequence the late advance in prices of many articles has found my house loaded with the Largest, Cleanest and most Complete stock of every article in my line ever offered to the people of our city and vicinity, bought for CASH at rock-bottom prices, therefore I am in condition to offer inducements on every article with no fear of successful competition. It is impossible for me to give prices on every article I handle. This paper would not hold the list. It is sufficient to say that I cannot be undersold by any one, and I allow no one to handle better goods than I do. To the young folks I give a few prices:

4 pounds Best New York Mixed Candy.....	25 cents
4 pounds Best Cincinnati Mixed Candy.....	25 cents
4 pounds Best Phoenix Mixed Candy.....	25 cents
4 pounds Best Home-made Mixed Candy.....	25 cents
4 pounds Best Pure Stick Candy.....	25 cents
4 pounds Best Gum Drops.....	25 cents
1 pound Best New Mixed Nuts.....	10 cents

And all other kinds of CANDIES and NUTS at proportionately low prices. For the BOYS I have a special in

FIREWORKS

5 packs Firecrackers.....	10 cents
6-ball Roman Candles.....	1 cent
8-ball Roman Candles.....	2 cents
10-ball Roman Candles.....	3 cents

In addition my stock of STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS, etc., is large, new, full and complete, and at prices that cannot be successfully met. My house is also headquarters for Poultry, Game, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Figs, Dates, Raisins, Citron, Currants and all kinds of Foreign and Domestic FRUITS, Buckwheat Flour, Whole Wheat Flour, Pancake Flour, Graham Flour, pure Maple Syrup and New Crop Molasses, etc.; in fact everything good to eat and of the very best. And don't forget that PERFECTION FLOUR is the best and that my Blended Coffee has no equal. I run two wagons regular, and will deliver all goods sold promptly. Come in and make my house your headquarters. You are always welcome.

KILLED BY THE F. F. V.

Two Lives Suddenly Snuffed Out at Lexington Street Crossing.

John Willett and Roe Hall Met With a Terrible Death Late Saturday Afternoon.

What has been predicted time and again has at last occurred.

The Lexington street crossing of the C. and O. was the scene of a horrible accident late Saturday afternoon.

In the twinkling of an eye almost, with but an instant's warning, two young lives were hurled into eternity.

The C. and O.'s westbound Fast Flyer due here at 4:25 was the instrument of death, and Mr. John Willett and Mr. Roe Hall, two young men from the vicinity of Wedonia, were the victims.

The young men had spent the day in town, and were just starting home. They were in a buggy drawn by a small bay horse, and were driving leisurely south on Lexington street.

The C. and O. tracks intersect Lexington street at Third. One of the buildings of the Hall plow plant occupies the northeast corner of Third and Lexington, making it an impossibility for a person driving south to see an approaching westbound train until he is within a few feet of the track, and it is likewise an impossibility for an engineer to see any vehicle that may be approaching until it comes from behind the building referred to.

Several fatalities have been narrowly averted at this crossing and the City Council finally compelled the company to erect an electric alarm bell to warn people of the approach of trains. Council wanted gates or a watchman at the first three crossings in the Fifth ward, but the company placed a watchman at only one crossing, Commerce street, and erected bells at Poplar and Lexington.

Willett and Hall either did not hear the bell, or paid no attention to it. Living in the country, it may be they did not know they were approaching the railroad. At any rate they did not know their danger, until the shrill whistle of the engine rang out. Then they were seen to lash their horse with the whip in a vain effort to clear the track. The train, however, was so close upon them when the engineer first discovered the buggy that the whistle had hardly ceased before the engine struck the vehicle with terrific force.

The front axle of the buggy was wedged between the second and third ribs of the right side of the cowcatcher or pilot, and the vehicle and bodies of the unfortunate young men were carried about 600 feet. Just west of Poplar street, a portion of the buggy and Willett's body fell off into the ditch on the north side. When the engine came to a stop a few feet further west, Hall's body and the front axle and wheels of the buggy were still resting on the pilot.

Willett's head was crushed, and he was no doubt instantly killed by the collision. Hall's neck was broken, his left leg and thigh and right wrist were fractured, his right chest and the pelvis were crushed, and there was an ugly wound in the back part of his head. He was still breathing when lifted off of the pilot, but expired in a short time.

The news of the terrible accident spread on lightning's wings, and a large crowd was on the scene in a few minutes. The bodies of the unfortunate were hastily placed on cots, lifted into the baggage car, and taken down to the depot where they were later on turned over to Coroner Roe.

Young Willett was about twenty years old, was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Willett, and a grandson of the late S. G. Hord, who conducted a store near Wedonia for years, and who was well known as one of the county's best citizens.

Willett's body was removed to Coughlin's undertaking rooms where Dr. Brough, of Helena, assisted in dressing the wounds and preparing the remains for burial. The funeral occurred Sunday at the Hord residence, and the body was then taken to Flemingsburg where it

was laid to rest. A large concourse of relatives and friends followed the remains to the grave.

Young Hall was twenty-two years of age, and was a son of Mr. John Hall, who lives near Wedonia. He was one of a family of six sons and two daughters. His body was removed Saturday evening to McIlvain & Humphrey's undertaking rooms and prepared for burial. The funeral occurred this morning at 9:30 o'clock, with services by Rev. M. W. Hiner, of Flemingsburg. Interment at that place.

The unfortunate young men had a large number of friends in this city, who were shocked at their sudden and awful death.

Mr. Isaac Keith, who lives just south of the Amazon Hall, was standing at his gate when the accident occurred. He was looking in an opposite direction, however, and did not see the buggy. He turned just in time to see the horse jump, as it seemed to him, from "between the engine and baggage car." The animal was bruised on the left hip but not badly injured.

Isaac Lewis and wife, colored, who live just south of the railroad, on Poplar street, a square west, saw the buggy when the engine struck it. A little son of Mr. Devin, who lives just west of Lexington street, also saw the accident. The child says the men were whipping their horse when the train struck the buggy.

Engineer Clemens, considered one of the best on the road, was in charge of the engine. He has been unfortunate in the way of such fatalities, as he was in charge of No. 4 when it struck and killed young Pollock and the Misses Lulu and Lillie Linss one night a few weeks ago at Concord.

The inquest will be completed this afternoon by Coroner Roe at Squire Bramel's office, beginning at 2 o'clock.

CURTIS-BEIGANG.

A Marriage in Which the Groom is Twenty-one and the Bride Sixty-seven.

Marriage license was granted this morning to Mr. Julius Beigang and Mrs. Hannah Curtis, and the wedding occurs to-day at the home of the bride in the Sixth ward.

Mr. Beigang is twenty-one years old, and is a shoe cutter, employed at the Maysville factory. His home is at Bellevue.

Mrs. Curtis is sixty-seven and this is her second marriage.

FRESH oysters, can and bulk, at Martin Bros'.

BUCKWHEAT and pancake flour.—Cahoun's.

THE wife of Stephen Saunders, colored, of Aberdeen, was buried Saturday.

MR. WILLIAM VICROY has a position in the telegraph office at Richmond.

GOV. BRADLEY says that he has never had any idea of pardoning Dick Tate.

Go to W. F. Power's for fine cooking and heating stoves at prices that are right.

MISS SALLIE S. Wood, who has been ill several days, was somewhat better yesterday.

MR. D. FITZGERALD is at the Red Corner Clothing Store where he will be pleased to see his friends.

TAKEN in time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevents serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in a healthy condition.

Now open, the largest line of Christmas goods ever shown by us.

J. T. KACKLEY & Co.

THE election of officers will be held at the stated meeting of Mason Lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., this evening at 7 o'clock.

JAMES H. HACKWORTH, of Hazelton, Lewis County, and William M. Louder, of Quincy, have been granted an increase of pension.

REV. S. B. ALDERSON and family were tendered a reception by the members of the Second Presbyterian Church of Portsmouth Thursday evening.

REV. FATHER DONNELLY, of Flemingsburg, preached his farewell sermon Sunday, and will go to Newport this week as assistant to Father McNernie, of that place.

JESSE HANDY, colored, aged sixteen, charged with attempting a criminal assault, escaped from the Falmouth jail by stealing the keys out of the Jailer's pocket.

BASE BALL.

Portsmouth Business Men Organizing An Association For '97—A League Talked Of.

PORSCHE, Ohio, Dec. 11.—Local baseball prospects for next season appear to be brightening. A stock company is being formed, with shares at \$50 each, and about \$1,000 has been subscribed by lovers of the sport who are willing to drop that much, if necessary, in order to insure having a team here next summer. The managers of Athletic Park are taking an active part in the matter, as are the street railway people. The team will be managed on business principles, and three games a week will be played, 25 cents admission, with no Sunday ball. The determined attitude of the Sunday Observance League has apparently settled that question for good.

The matter of selecting a manager is still an open one. The matter of joining a minor league is also undecided. If arrangements can be made with Ironton, Chillicothe, Dayton, Springfield and Hamilton, O., and Maysville, Ashland and Paris, Ky., an effort will be made to get up a schedule of games. Whether the agreement concerning them will amount to a regular league remains to be seen. The generally expressed preference is for independence so far as the box office is concerned, each club playing on a percentage.

There hasn't been much talk yet in this city about a club for next season, but if Maysville is to have a team, the matter can not be decided any too soon. It won't do to wait until all the best players are picked up.

The Maysville club last season finished with record above the average, notwithstanding it was organized rather late. Ninety-three games in all were played, the team winning forty-nine and losing forty-one, the other three games resulting in a tie.

Sechrist and Nye have signed contracts for return engagement with the Norfolk (Va.) club. The Norfolk team will be in the Atlantic League next season.

Eddie Glenn, who played a sensational game at short for the Paris and Portsmouth teams last season, has received an offer from the Pensacola (Fla.) team.

Manager Skinner, who ran the Paris team last season, is mentioned in connection with the management of the Portsmouth team next season.

LIGHTNING HOT DROPS—
What a Funny Name!
Very True, but It Kills All Pain...
Sold Everywhere. Every Day—
Without Relief, There Is No Pain!

A SCHEDULE of the assets and liabilities of Curtis & Bramel, of Orangeburg, was filed Saturday in the County Clerk's office. The firm's assets amount to \$639; liabilities about \$1,000. Mr. Curtis' individual assets are \$70; liabilities, \$905. Mr. Bramel's individual assets, \$50; liabilities, \$150.

We have been planning for months to make our store and stock ideal ones and believe we have to-day the best appointed jewelry store and carefully selected stock to be found in the State. You will make a mistake if you don't look here before deciding on your Christmas presents.

BALLINGER.

Wheeler's Toy Room.

Persons desiring a nice line of toys to select from in making their Christmas purchases will make no mistake by calling on me. The toy room is now open and we will take pleasure in showing our stock of toys, candies, confections and nuts. I make a specialty also of oysters, celery, etc. JOHN WHEELER, Market st.

An Important Difference.

To make it apparent to thousands, who think themselves ill, that they are not afflicted with any disease, but that the system simply needs cleansing, is to bring comfort home to their hearts, as a constive condition is easily cured by using Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only, and sold by all druggists.

DR. A. GOLDSTEIN, the celebrated optician of Louisville, has been busily engaged, at the Central, fitting glasses for those of our citizens, old and young, who have bad sight, and relieving such as are troubled with their eyes. The doctor will visit Aberdeen next Monday, remaining several days. All persons needing glasses should avail themselves of this opportunity. He will stop at the Mineral Well House while in Aberdeen.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

MR. G. CAILLOUETTE, druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at J. James Wood's drug store.

The Cold Wave

IS HERE, AND
IF NOT PREPARED FOR
IT, COME IN AND INTERVIEW US.

Ladies', Gents' and Children's Fleeced Underwear at 25, 35 and 50c.

Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at 75c. and \$1.00.

Ladies', Gents' and Children's warm Mitts at 10, 15 and 25c.

Men's Working Gloves at 25, 35, 50 and 75c.

Men's extra heavy All Wool Half Hose at 25c.

Men's Cotton Half Hose at 5c., 10c. and 12 1-2c.

Ladies' All Wool Cashmere Hose at 12 1-2, 15, 20 and 25c.

Ladies' Fast Black Fleece Lined Hose at 10, 15 and 25c.

This cold snap calls for Blankets. We have them in cotton at 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25.

All Wool Blankets in red, gray and white at \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$4 and \$5 per pair.

Bed Comforts at 75c., \$1, \$1.25.

In fact everything to keep you warm will be found in our stock. Prices always the lowest.

BROWNING & CO.

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00.

F. B. RANSON & CO.

REMOVAL!

NEW HOUSE!

NEW STOCK!

McCLANAHAN & SHEA.

We pleasure in announcing they have moved into their handsome new room, No. 41 West Second Street, opposite State National Bank, where they are now displaying a new and complete stock of

The Latest Designs

in Heating and Cooking STOVES!

and all articles usually found in a first-class Stove and Tin Store.

Thankful for past favors, we pledge our best efforts to merit a continuance.

McCLANAHAN & SHEA.

A Card.

Governor Bradley is hearing from his Republican friends. The City and County Committees at Louisville have appointed a committee to draft a resolution calling upon the Governor to call an extra session of the Legislature.

DR. A. C. COOK, formerly of this county, will remove from Millersburg to Georgetown where he will practice dentistry.

WHILE Reuben Prather, a farmer, was felling a tree on his farm near Carlisle, he was caught under it as it fell, receiving probably fatal injuries. He lay prostrated under the tree for four hours, when a neighbor, hearing his groans, went in search of him and released him.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' HIGH-CUT CALF BALMS and BUTTON. J. HENRY PECKOR.

THE BEE HIVE!
Special Reductions on all Ladies' and Children's JACKETS AND CAPES,
CAPES from \$1.98 up.

Big Assortment of CHILDREN'S REEFERS, 4 to 12 years, at Special Prices.

READY-MADE

PILLOW CASES and SHEETS,
MADE OF UTICA MUSLIN,

9-4 Sheet, Hemmed,	55 Cents.
10-4 Sheet, Hemmed,	60 "
42 inch Pillow Cases,	12 1-2c.

At the BEE HIVE.

ROSENTHAL BROS.

Distributing Agents for WOOL SOAP.

FREE BUTTONS!

AN ELEGANT BUTTON FREE
with each package of



SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES

AN OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE
A COLLECTION OF BUTTONS
WITHOUT COST.

CINCINNATI TOBACCO MARKET.

Receipts of the New Crop Are Increasing
and the Sales Were Quite Large
Last Week.

The Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco Warehouse
Company, in its circular for the week,
has the following:

The tobacco trade the past week has shown no
material change in prices in the old, although
there has been some fluctuations, as the buyers
at times would contend strongly on the better
grades, and we think prices have remained firm
on the good tobaccos, and have probably made a
slight advance. The offerings have been quite
large, especially on Wednesday and Thursday (one
house being shut out on Wednesday), and with the
large offerings the percentage of good tobacco
is remarkably low, and we have about come to
the conclusion that we have very little good
tobacco in the stock now being held.

Receipts of the new are increasing, and the
sales have been quite large this week, being
thin, shaggy and lifeless, and unless there is an
improvement we are afraid we will have another
inferior crop to contend with, and all growers
having good crops will secure high prices for the
best part of them, while the low grades will re-
main low, as there is a large stock of old low
grades on hand. With the low grades of the new
the quantity will exceed the demand, and there
will be a large range between the good and low
grades than has been for the past two or three
years. The present indications are favorable for
the best grades the coming season, and the low
prices obtained for the inferior crops is no cri-
terion to be governed by. The shippers of the
new are getting full prices for the quality, but
a great many are of the opinion that their to-
bacco is better than it really is, and find fault
with the market, while those having a good qual-
ity are well satisfied. There were offered 283
hogsheads of new, prices ranging from \$1.50 to \$14.

By a rear-end collision between two Bal-
timore and Ohio freight trains in the
Piedmont yard, at Piedmont, W. Va., an
engine and a number of cars were badly
broken, the caboose demolished and a
quantity of oats spilled.

The store or more tramps arrested on
suspicion of the murder of Brakeman
Schagel at Gallon, O., were all released
for the want of identification except two
who claim to be complices of the mur-
derer. Excitement is at fever heat,

Mrs. Eggleston's dead body was found
on the floor of her residence, on Baker's
Fork, W. Va. Apparently she had been
shot by an unknown assassin on the out-
side of the house, who fired through the
window. The coroner is investigating.

The 1-year-old daughter of Richard Tat-
man of Chillicothe, O., was left by her
mother in the kitchen, and fell over upon
the front part of the stove. When the
mother returned the child was dead, her
face having been entirely burned away.

The safe in the office of Mauk & Rey-
nolds, lumber dealers of Spencerville, O.,
was blown open at midnight. Notes
amounting to \$700 or \$800, some cash and
a lot of deeds, insurance policies and
other papers were carried off. No clue to
the robbers.

Mrs. Anula F. Franks of Dudleyville,
W. Va., who strained herself lifting a
heavy piece of timber a week ago, was
found dead in bed by her husband Saturday
morning. She is supposed to have
been internally injured. Mrs. Franks
leaves five small children.

A bill has been filed asking for a re-
call for the Elyton company, the largest
land concern in Alabama, located at
Birmingham. It controls over \$2,000,000
worth of property in and around Birmingham,
and has \$1,700,000 of bonds out-
standing with the trust company.

TELEGRAPH TAPS.

Condensed News Items From Different Parts of the Globe.

Israel Hedges and his son, Otis J.
Hedges of Marion, O., has assigned. Li-
abilities, \$3,000; assets not known.

Isaac Morrison, a farmer, residing near
Steubenville, O., has assigned to Simon
Smith. Assets, \$9,000; liabilities larger.

Thomas Cox of Delaware, O., a pioneer,
died suddenly at the home of his son,
Robert Cox, chairman of the Republican
county committee.

James Dorsey, a glass worker of Mar-
tin's Ferry, O., under arrest for drunken-
ness, committed suicide in jail Saturday
by cutting his throat.

William Smith was killed on the Lake
Shore railroad at South Bend, Ind. He
was the second son of Photographer Smith
to meet that fate in two years.

Stephen Palmer of Jefferson, O., a vet-
eran of the late war, died Saturday night.

He was 6 feet, 11 inches tall, and it was
necessary to make a special coffin for him.

F. B. Newton, lumber dealer of Cleve-
land, has assigned to J. A. Smith. As-
sets, \$125,000; liabilities not far short of
that amount. About \$80,000 is preferred.

Michael N. Rieckard, railroad comis-
sioner, died in a barber's chair at Albany,
N. Y., while being shaved. It is sup-
posed that apoplexy was the cause of death.

Death Sentence Pronounced.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14.—Willy Haas,
the 16-year-old murderer of Mrs. Emma
Brader of Covendale, will, unless the upper
courts shall interfere, pay the penalty
of his crime on Thursday, April 8,
before sunrise. Judge Evans pronounced
the death sentence Saturday morning.

Haas was as indifferent as always, and
had nothing to say why sentence should
not be passed.

Cincinnati Tobacco Market.

Hhds. Offerings for the week..... 2,476

Offerings for new for the week..... 283

Rejections for the week..... 656

Actual sales for the week..... 1,790

Receipts for the week..... 1,214

The range of prices on the 2,103 hhds of
old was as follows: 1,088, 30¢@35¢; 466,

42@50¢; 219, 36@7¢; 171, 38@9¢; 95; 110,

10@11¢; 75; 89, 12@14¢; 75; 55, 15@19¢; 25,

50@21¢; 50. The whole lot averaged

5¢ 30 per 100 lbs.

The 283 hhds new averaged \$4 19 per 100

lbs. The prices ranged as follows: 147,

28@3 95; 73, 34@5 95; 28, 30@7 95; 20,

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